

## Copy-write Editorials.

The melancholy days have come,  
The days that get your goat.  
With frost is on the pumpkin vine,  
And Uncle has your overcoat.

A decision in the Sulzer case is ex-  
pected to-day.

Now that the fair is over, what is  
the latest from Harry Thaw?

Timothy L. Woodruff, the Repub-  
lican leader, died in New York Sun-  
day.

Jefferson McCarn, of Nashville,  
has been appointed U. S. Attorney  
for Hawaii.

A woman's left hand cut off at the  
wrist, was found floating in the river  
at New York Saturday.

Mr. Stanley was called back to  
Washington and did not get to attend  
the fair Saturday.

Chattanooga saloons have been  
closed for the first time by a vigorous  
enforcement of the prohibition

In Mercer county Mr. Corn is ad-  
vertising a public sale and bills will  
be made that somebody will have to  
foot.

A Vienna dispatch says a man  
named Haas was granted a divorce  
on the ground that his wife taught  
the parrot to call him names.

If the Louisville Progressives don't  
get lost in the Bush they will get  
swamped in the mire, for it is Busch-  
meyer sure for Mayor.—Elizabeth-  
town News.

Girls in the Chicago High School  
will be taught the care of infants,  
the classes to be instructed by a train-  
ed nurse, with real babies used in the  
demonstrations.

An auto containing a pre-nuptial  
party at Cincinnati was wrecked, kill-  
ing Miss Bright Kelly, of Covington,  
Ky., the bride-to-be, and several  
others were injured.

Four out of five victories for the  
Philadelphia Athletics over the New  
York Giants, ended the World's  
Championship series with two of the  
seven games not played.

A Philadelphia fan dropped dead  
when Baker struck out and a New  
Yorker toppled over dead when  
Mathewson made a hit. Different  
kinds of excitement affected them  
the same way.

The House struck out of the Sen-  
ate bill a \$7,000 appropriation giving  
the Vice President an automobile.  
An amendment giving Speaker Clark  
one was ruled out of order by the  
Speaker himself.

The Tennessee general assembly  
convened yesterday for the third  
time this year, called together to  
consider prohibition laws that have  
failed of enactment in the other two  
sessions.

Representative Henry D. Clayton,  
appointed Senator by Gov. O'Neal,  
of Alabama, has abandoned his claim  
to the seat, the legality of which has  
not been admitted, and will remain  
in the House, at the request of Pres-  
ident Wilson.

The Kaiser's daughter, now the  
wife of the son of the old Duke of  
Cumberland, has joined the Duke in  
the demand on her father that her  
husband be seated on the throne of  
Hanover, to which he is the heir.  
William's idea was that Ernest  
would be satisfied with Victoria  
Louise without a throne.

The Cadiz Record in a long and  
carefully prepared editorial throws  
a great deal of light on the inside  
management of the Planters Pro-  
tective Association and the methods  
by which the "ins" are holding on to  
the four big salaries that pay \$21,-  
000 a year. It says a surplus of  
\$60,000 four years ago has gradually  
been consumed in salaries and that  
expenses annually exceed the reve-  
nues by \$12,000 to \$15,000.

AWFUL NIGHT  
OF HORROR

750 Persons On Burning Ship  
In a Raging Wind  
Storm.

136 PERSONS LOST LIVES

Storm Subsided At Daybreak  
and 521 Were Saved By  
Succoring Ships.

London, Oct. 13.—Not since the  
Titanic sank has Europe been so  
thrilled as by a wireless message to-  
day telling of the burning of the  
steamship Volturno in Mid-Atlantic,  
with a loss, so far as is at present  
known, of 136 lives and the rescue  
of 521. The survivors are now  
aboard a fleet of steamers summon-  
ed by the Volturno's call for help,  
some of which are bound eastward  
and others westward.

The Volturno sailed from Rotter-  
dam on Oct. 2 for New York. Accord-  
ing to the official statement  
she carried twenty-two first cabin  
passengers, 538 steerage and a crew  
numbering 96.

The rescue ships reached the scene  
of the disaster in plenty of time to  
save all, but for hours stood by the  
blazing vessel, impotent because of  
the storm to reach the agonized men,  
women and children crowding the  
afterpart of the ship, which was  
within a stone's throw.

## Great Explosion.

The hopelessness of the situation  
was manifested at 9 o'clock in the  
evening when a great explosion tore  
away a part of the upper works and  
flames burst from the engine room.  
It then became a matter of how  
long the Volturno would stay above  
the waters.

Meanwhile several of the terrified  
passengers wrapped in life buoys,  
dropped over into the sea. One of  
them was taken aboard the Carnava-  
lia.

When day broke the Volturno was  
still afloat. The gale had moderated  
and the seas had calmed down.  
From almost every one of the encir-  
cling steamers lifeboats were sent  
out and into these the women and  
children were lowered first. Several  
trips were necessary before the sur-  
vivors were removed to a place of  
safety.

## MADE A RECORD

Pennyroyal Won Place in Poul-  
try Department of South-  
ern Fair Ass'n.

The following placard was tacked  
up at the Northern entrance to the  
poultry display at the fair last Fri-  
day.

"This places the Pennyroyal  
in Southern State Fair Class  
Never before done by a first  
show."

The poultry department was a  
great success, so great that exhibi-  
tors from a distance were very much  
surprised to meet with so much com-  
petition.

## Drew His Gun.

Joe Garth, colored, who was creat-  
ing a disturbance at the L. & N.  
station Saturday, resisted when  
Ficer Garland Jones undertook to place  
him under arrest and drew his pistol.  
Special officer McGee went to the as-  
sistance of Sergeant Jones and the  
negro was taken to the lockup. Garth  
is said to be a dangerous negro and  
a few years ago shot and killed an-  
other negro. The grand jury will  
investigate the case.

## Rally at Pembroke.

Next Saturday there will be a  
Democratic rally at Pembroke, and  
it goes without saying that it will be  
"a rally what is a rally."

NEGRO SENT  
TO PADUCAH

Was Put Under \$300 Bond  
But Couldn't Make  
It.

HAD MAIL IN HIS POSSESSION

Warrant of Arrest Sworn Out  
By Postoffice Inspector  
Milligan.

Charles Garth, a negro of this city  
was before U. S. Commissioner Clark  
last Saturday. He had been arrested  
on a warrant sworn out by Post  
office Inspector Milligan, charged  
with having in his possession mail  
matter which had not been delivered  
to the consignee.

The negro claims that he found  
the matter and did not steal it.

It is said that the negro was rid-  
ing on the mail wagon with the reg-  
ular driver when that part was in  
transit from or to the postoffice.

When Commissioner Clark called  
the case Garth waived an examination  
and the commissioner gave him a  
chance to execute a \$300 bond, for  
his appearance before the next U. S.  
grand jury or go to jail. He failed  
to make bond and was sent to the  
Paducah jail pending an examina-  
tion by the grand jury.

## T. A. SMITHSON DEAD.

Succumbs to Paralysis After  
Long Suffering.

Mr. Thomas A. Smithson died Sun-  
day midnight of paralysis, aged  
about 60 years. He had been in de-  
clining health for some time and the  
end was not unexpected. He is sur-  
vived by his widow, and the following  
brothers and sisters: Messrs. James  
A., Charles W., and Luther H. Smithson,  
all of this county; Mrs. W. E. Adcock,  
of Church Hill; Mrs. C. H. Bagby,  
of Lafayette; Mrs. N. L. Turner, of Guthrie,  
and Rev. John O. Smithson, of Vine Grove.

Mr. Smithson was a member of the  
Cumberland Presbyterian church and  
was a citizen who enjoyed the  
respect and esteem of all who knew  
him. His funeral services will be  
held from the Cumberland Presby-  
terian church this morning at 10:30  
o'clock by the pastor, Rev. J. B. Eshman,  
and the interment will take place  
in Riverside Cemetery.

## NEW LAND

As Large As Greenland Discov-  
ered By Russians.

St. Michael, Alaska, Oct. 13.—The  
Russian government steamers, Tai-  
myr and Waygatch, under Command-  
er Wilitzky, who have been engaged  
in arctic exploration north of Siberia  
for three years, have arrived here  
for coal. Captain Wilitzky reports  
the discovery of a body of land as  
large as Greenland, extending be-  
yond latitude 81 north and longitude  
102 east.

## Negro Shot.

Wick Mumford and another negro  
by the name of Poston got into a  
difficulty Saturday night, near Clay  
and Fourth streets, which resulted  
in Mumford shooting at Poston, the  
ball taking effect in one of his legs.  
The father of Mumford says his son  
shot at another negro.

## Three Attack One.

Dr. Francis Edward Forward, chief  
medical officer of the Holloway jail,  
accused by militant suffragettes of  
responsibility for the forcible feeding  
system, was horsewhipped in the  
street in London by three women  
Saturday.

## CARNEGIE

LIBRARY

Building On Peace Park is  
Located and Staked  
Off.

WORK WILL SOON START

Test Suit to Be Brought To  
Remove Any Possible  
Doubts.

A meeting of the Public Library  
Board was held at Peace Park yes-  
terday and after a conference with  
the contractor for the building and  
with Mayor Meacham it was decid-  
ed to have a test suit brought this  
week in circuit court and settle any  
doubt of the city's right to locate  
the library on Peace Park. The site  
selected and staked off, is in the  
southeastern corner, 25 feet from  
Tenth street and 30 feet from Camp-  
bell street. There have been some  
objections raised to the location in  
the park and it was deemed best by  
all concerned that the legal question  
be passed upon in advance.

The suit will be brought as an in-  
junction suit by agreement one day  
this week, either by the Mayor or in  
the name of some taxpayer.

## GAMBLING MACHINES

Were Cut Out By Directors of  
the Fair.

The devices to relieve people of  
their loose change during the fair  
were seen on every hand, but the  
directors of the fair to make good  
their promise for a clean fair, had  
to cut out some of the plans arrang-  
ed to get a mirth for nothing. Half a dozen or more that could not,  
by any technicality, evade the law,  
had to "fold their tents" and quit  
business.

## Circuit Court.

The case against Nobe Sims,  
charged with assault and battery  
was on trial yesterday.

A little after 2 o'clock the argu-  
ment in the case of the Com-  
monwealth against Napoleon Sims  
for assault and battery was closed and  
the case given to the jury.

At 2:30 a jury was being made up  
to try the case of the Com-  
monwealth against Will Thomas, colored,  
for killing Gilbert Hooks, colored.  
The killing occurred on June 25th  
this year on the farm of Thomas  
Garnett, near Pembroke. The largest  
crowd of the term was present,  
consisting mostly of colored people.  
The seats were all occupied and the  
gallery was crowded.

There is one other case docketed  
for immediate trial. This killing  
occurred during last summer. Two  
young negroes, John Cayce and  
Saint Layne, got into a difficulty,  
when Cayce knocked Layne in the  
head with a base ball bat. The kick  
proved fatal in a day or two.

The grand jury reconvened yester-  
day after a week's vacation, and  
will probably be in session all of  
this week.

## Day-Thacker.

William Day, formerly of this city  
but now of Little Rock, Ark., and  
Miss Hattie Lee Thacker, daughter  
of Mr. and Mrs. George Thacker,  
were married Saturday morning at  
the home of Mr. H. R. Tilford, East  
13th street. Rev. J. B. Eshman  
officiated. Mr. and Mrs. Day have  
gone to Little Rock to reside.

## Crick-Grace.

Arthur Crick and Miss Eva Grace,  
of North Christian, were married in  
Clarksville Saturday.

MRS. BLYTHE  
LIBRARY

After Months of Illness Suc-  
cumbed Sunday After-  
noon.

PARALYSIS CAUSED DEATH

Had Large Family Connection  
and Survived By Seven  
Children.

Mrs. Matilda R. Blythe, widow of  
the late John Blythe, died at her  
home, Cleveland Avenue and Second  
street, Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock  
in the 64th year of her age.

Mrs. Blythe was ill during the entire  
summer but had grown strong  
enough to walk on the porch last  
Thursday. Thursday night she had  
a stroke of paralysis and was uncon-  
scious during the whole time up  
to her death. She never opened her  
eyes until a moment before her  
death. Then for a second she saw  
the light and her eyes closed in  
death.

Mrs. Blythe is survived by seven  
children, four sons and three daugh-  
ters. Walter and Lonnie, of Louis-  
ville, and Maxey and William Blythe,  
of this city; Mrs. Eliza Peden, Mrs.  
George Merritt and Mrs. Bernice  
Nichols, of this city. She was a sis-  
ter of the late Judge A. H. Anderson,  
Mrs. James M. Higgins, Mrs.  
A. F. Witty, Mrs. A. A. Buckley,  
Mr. Tal. Anderson, of this city; Geo.  
Anderson, of Archer, Fla., and Joe  
Anderson, of Birmingham, Ala.

Mrs. Blythe was a member of the  
Cumberland Presbyterian church for  
nearly two score years and was kind-  
hearted and charitable, always ready  
to help in trouble or wait upon the  
sick.

Funeral services were held at the  
home yesterday afternoon at 3 o'  
clock, conducted by Rev. J. B. Esh-  
man, burial in Riverside Cemetery.

## NEW DATES

Arranged For Democratic Nom-  
inees to Speak.

Kennedy, to-night, at 7 o'clock.  
Tuesday, Oct. 14th, 1 p. m., Red  
Hill.

Tuesday, Oct. 14th, 7 p. m., Bark-  
er's Mill.

Wednesday, Oct. 15th, 1 p. m.,  
Bluff Springs.

Wednesday, Oct. 15th, 7 p. m.,  
Dogwood.

Longview, Wednesday, Oct. 15,  
p. m.

Gracey, Wednesday, Oct. 15, 7 p.m.

Thursday, Oct. 16th, 1 p. m., Fair-  
view.

Thursday, Oct. 16th, at 7 p. m.,  
Honey Grove.

Sinking Fork, Thursday, Oct. 16,  
7 p. m.

Concord, Friday, Oct. 17, 7 p. m.

Friday, Oct. 17th, 1 p. m., Perry's  
School House.

Friday, Oct. 17th, 7 p. m., Frog  
Hop.

Saturday, Oct. 18th, 1 p. m., Pen-  
broke rally.

Saturday, Oct. 18th, 7 p. m.,  
Casky.

## What He Saw.

Secretary C. A. Payne, Jr., of the  
Daviess County fair, has returned<br

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#### Democratic Ticket.

State Senator—R. M. Salmon.  
Representative—J. C. Duffy,  
County Judge—Walter Knight.  
County Clerk—Lucian J. Harris, Jr.  
County Attorney—Ira D. Smith.  
Sheriff—Jewell W. Smith.  
Assessor—W. J. McGee.  
Jailer—A. E. Mullins.  
School Supt.—L. E. Foster.  
Coroner—J. H. Rice.

#### MAGISTRATES.

District No. 2—J. M. Morris.  
" " 3—Sylvester Reese.  
" " 4—W. W. Garrett.  
" " 5—L. D. Rogers.  
" " 6—C. L. Dade.  
" " 7—J. W. Cox.  
" " 8—C. W. Lyle.

#### CONSTABLES.

District No. 2—T. S. Winfree.  
" " 5—J. F. Adcock.  
" " 7—L. W. Means.  
" " 8—C. L. Hight.

#### COUNCILMEN.

First Ward—Chas. J. Gee.  
Second Ward—S. G. Buckner.  
Third Ward—J. A. Southall.  
Fourth Ward—G. W. Carliss.  
Sixth Ward—R. M. Wooldridge.  
Seventh Ward—Bailey Russell.

#### NOT WEDDED TO THE TRUTH

Descendants of the Original Ananias  
Evidently Still Flourish in Provinces of China.

The honesty and frankness of the Chinese has often been matter for travelers' tales; but, according to Frank Wallace, author of "The Big Game of Central and Western China," it is only the inhabitants of the coast provinces who are distinguished for veracity, says the New York Post. In the course of his excursion to the Gobi desert to supply tarts and other rare mammals to the British museum, he suffered much inconvenience and a few misfortunes from the inability of the natives to tell the unvarnished truth.

Two incidents he recounted have the saving grace of humor. He came once upon a region, where pheasants were plentiful, and if he had had dogs, he might have enjoyed first-rate covert shooting. When he questioned his guides as to their numbers, a certain celebrated Ananias set about recounting the details of a ride where birds were plentiful.

"Suddenly," he declared, "my horse shied. My gun was slung on my back. Both barrels went off. I looked around and there were three dead pheasants in the road!"

It was this same man who, one day when the conversation turned on celebrated travelers, saw a chance too good to be missed. Marco Polo's name had just been mentioned.

"Marco Polo," said the man in a casual manner, flicking off the end of his cigar. "Oh, yes, my old father was his guide. A nice man. He came from Russia. How old was he? Well, I never saw him myself; it was before my time. About forty-five, I should say. He had a grand horse he brought with him all the way from his own country. He gave it to my father, but the poor beast died from grief when the old man pegged out."

It would seem that this was just the sort of person on whom Marco Polo, when he traveled in that part of the world, actually depended for information.

#### A Gentle and Effective Laxative

A mild, gentle and effective laxative is what people demand when suffering from constipation. Thousands swear by Dr. King's New Life Pills. Hugh T. L. man, of San Antonio, Tex., writes: "They are, beyond question, the best pills my wife and I have ever taken." They never cause pain. Price 25c, at druggists or by mail, H. E. Bucklin & Co Philadelphia or St. Louis.

Advertisement.

Millennium Not Yet Here.  
From the diary of Sackville Mo Knutt: "The world may be growing more honest, but I notice that the 'Lost' column in the paper is still considerably longer than the 'Found' column."

Children Cry  
FOR FLETCHER'S  
CASTORIA

Hope of Mississippi Planters in War  
Constantly Wagged on Cotton  
Destroyers.

Lee Hamilton, a Lauderdale county farmer, has directed attention to the lowly little toad as the farmer's hope in his battle with the boll weevil, and the toad may hereafter be looked upon with more favor than ever before in his history.

Mr. Hamilton states that he found a couple of the toads busily engaged feeding at the end of a cotton room. Being curious to know what they were eating, he "operated" on them and found in one of them 70 boll weevils, in the other 100 of the insect pests. This is as many as the farmer would find in a day's hunt, and proves very conclusively, if Mr. Hamilton's story be true, that the toad is a valuable little fellow and that they should be protected by law, just as are insectivorous birds.

It has long been known that toads are valuable adjuncts to any garden or truck patch and there is at least one gardener in Jackson who catches every toad he finds and carefully deposits him in his garden. That is one of the secrets of his success and one of the reasons why he has plenty of good vegetables when his neighbors have none. This gardener declares that toads destroy thousands of insects that are injurious to his plants, and he gives them every possible protection—leaving piles of grass and trash and wide boards in out-of-the-way places for them to hide under by day.—New York Sun.

#### Eczema and Itching Cured.

The soothing, healing medication in Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment penetrates every tiny pore of the skin, clears it of all impurities—stops itching instantly. Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment is guaranteed to speedily heal eczema, rashes, ringworm, tetter and other unsightly eruptions. Eczema Ointment is a doctor's prescription, 10c an experiment. All druggists or by mail, 50c. Pfeiffer Chemical Co., Philadelphia and St. Louis.

Advertisement.

#### Singer's Marvelous Memory.

It is said that Herr Stehmann learned the entire part of the "Wanderer" in "Siegfried" in six hours;

and on one occasion when Herr Krauss, who was to have taken the leading role in Xaver Scharwenka's "Matauswink," was suddenly taken ill, Stehmann, who had never before seen the part, mastered it so completely between the afternoon rehearsal and the evening performance, that in both words and music he was absolutely perfect.

Farmers, mechanics, railroaders, laborers, rely on Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil. Fine for cuts, burns, bruises. Should be kept in every home. 25c and 50c.

#### Was Really "Speaker."

It was his power of protesting that in the first place gave the speaker of the British house of commons his name. For the early members were not great at oratory and soon realized the desirability of choosing a spokesman with a ready tongue and the courage to argue with the king. Hence came the title of "speaker," which was first given to Sir Thomas Hungerford in 1376.

The name—Doan's—inspires confidence—Doan's Kidney Pills for kidney ills. Doan's Ointment for skin itching. Doan's Regulator for a mild laxative. Sold at all drug stores.

#### Was Not in Speaker's Mind.

On one occasion, when a certain legislative candidate, known as a clever speaker and very effective in dealing with a hostile audience, was addressing a meeting in his constituency, he had no sooner risen and said, "Gentlemen," than some one threw an egg at him. Quite unperturbed, he turned to the offender and said: "I was not speaking to you, sir."

Children Cry  
FOR FLETCHER'S  
CASTORIA

#### Dice Played in Greece.

Dice are said by some to have had their origin in occult sources, but more reasonably they are ascribed to Psalms of Greece, B. C. 1244. Those exhumed at Thebes are identical with those used today, and the games played with them are the simplest and most widely known games of chance in the world.

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## THE STATE OF KENTUCKY

### EVERY Ascertained Facts At One Community

#### SENCE IN TAX LAWS NEEDED

Why Are 600,000 of Kentucky's People  
Living in Other States?—A True  
Story With a Moral—What Do You  
Think About These Conditions?

A traveler recently, while waiting to change cars at a little town in Southeastern Kentucky, had a conversation with an intelligent business man of the place and ascertained the following facts:

"What is your population?" he asked.  
"About two thousand."  
"What is your principal industry?"  
"We have none, unless stores count."  
"Have you no factories?"  
"None except a tombstone maker."  
"How is your population employed?"  
"Well, we have fifty-two stores, nine  
hotels and restaurants, two newspapers,  
one laundry, one photograph gallery  
and two banks."

"You seem to have good railroad facilities."

"Yes, we have railroads running north, south, east and west; twenty-six passenger trains in and out every day and no end of freight trains."

"What does the surrounding country produce?"

"Coal, timber, clay, stone, corn,  
wheat, tobacco, fruit and vegetables."

"What becomes of all these?"

"They are shipped to different parts  
of the country."

"Has your town increased in population?"

"Not much in the past twenty-five years."

"How are your young people employed?"

"They mostly drift away and get work in the cities."

"Has it never occurred to you to start a few factories and keep them at home?"

"Yes, it has been tried, and we at one time had a commercial club, whose aim it was to get some factories here, but they couldn't seem to do anything."

"What were the obstacles?"  
"Well, some people were induced to come here and found cheap land, cheap fuel, good shipping facilities, but no labor, and some of the inquisitive ones asked about taxes, etc., and nothing came of it."

"What is the trouble with your taxes?"

"Well, you see, we have the general property tax in Kentucky, and when they were shown the assessors' lists and found they had to pay taxes on about seventy-five different kinds of property, and all at the same rate, they ducked."

"Is this true about the taxes?"

"Well, it is pretty near the facts. The city and county and state and schools all have to be paid, and if a man starts a factory he has to pay on his machinery, his raw material and finished goods; his cash and accounts, and, of course, on his land and buildings, and a good many other things, including his watch and stickpin, and, if he wants to educate his children, he must pay on the books and piano and his horse and buggy and almost everything but his shirt, and the trouble is, he never knows exactly what his taxes will be. If he omits any of the seventy-five things the legislature could think of and the miscellaneous things he must think of himself, there is the revenue agent who gets a commission on anything he can find, and then there is the county equalization board, which scrutinizes his returns and adds what it likes, and then the state board at Frankfort takes a whack at it and generally raises the whole list, and it simply keeps everybody going who has anything to be taxed."

"Why don't you change the tax laws?"

"Well, they put the law relating to revenue and taxation in the state constitution, and it takes about five years to effect a change, and it is hard to get the voters to understand the question. The last legislature passed an amendment and it will be voted on at the November (1913) election, and if it is ratified the change will be made."

"I live in Pennsylvania, and every town in that state as large as yours has a factory of some kind, and many of them several. They employ the young men and women and keep them and the money they earn at home. But here comes my train, and all I can say is, you people should wake up, and if our tax laws are oppressive, change them, and your state will blossom like the rose."

"Well, good-bye, stranger. I intend to vote for the amendment myself, and may be others will do the same. It can't be any worse than the present system, and I surely would like to see some smoketacks looming up in these parts. Farewell."

FROM REPORT OF KENTUCKY  
TAX REVISION COMMISSION,  
1910.

"So long as the state adheres to its present system of taxation fixed by constitutional provisions, it will impair its citizens a very serious handicap in the competition with the citizens of other states more favored in their tax laws, and must inevitably lose both desirable population and much needed capital."

Douglasville, Tenn.—"Five years ago I was caught in the rain at the wrong time," writes Mrs. Edna Rutherford of Douglasville, and from that time was taken with dumb chills and fever and suffered more than I can tell. I tried everything that I thought would help, and had four different doctors, but got no relief so I began taking Cardui. Now I feel better than in many months." Cardui does one thing, and does it well. That's the secret of its 50 years of success. As a tonic there is nothing in the drug store like it. As a remedy for women's ills, it has no equal. Try it. Price \$1. Advertisement.

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## PAID FOR WITH HUMAN LIFE

Man's Many Conquests in Various Fields of Struggle Have Always Been Costly.

It would be difficult to decide in what field of struggle the indomitable soul of man finds his greatest expression of the courage that is in it. In every age the spirit of adventure has spurred men to the point of holding life very lightly, where high achievement was possible. In the experimental stage of the submarine and the aeroplane hundreds of lives have been sacrificed; but every loss has brought success, one step nearer than before. And the world has always been willing to pay for its triumphs. In aviation hundreds have perished in attempts at long-distance flight, and now we have the news of the wonderful achievement of Brindejone De Moulins, a French aeronaut who on July 2, completed an aerial journey of 3,100 miles, from Paris to St. Petersburg and back, being the longest voyage thus far recorded. This conqueror of the air is a mere lad of twenty-one. Part of the time he was traveling at 110 miles an hour, and for a short distance he attained a speed of 140 miles per hour. Travelling at a great height over the Baltic sea, he was seriously confused by mistaking a group of islands for dancing and vanishing clouds, but his nerve of steel kept him from losing his head, which doubtless is the reason why so many aeronauts suddenly "go to pieces" and perish. His wonderful adventure will doubtless stimulate others to still more daring attempts, involving new sacrifice of lives laid on the altar of aerial conquest.

## PITY WASTED ON THE TOAD

Philosopher Advances Many Reasons Why Small Creature Is Not In Need of Sympathy.

"I have lately read several bits of good writing in defense of the toad," calmly stated Stanley Livingston Mutch, the amateur philosopher. "But while I do not wish to appear hypercritical, or anything of the kind, I beg to say that His Honor the Toad, as I see him, needs little defense.

By summer visitors from the city strolling along the gooseberry vines he is often mistaken for a well-filled pocketbook, and it is certainly quite a nice thing to look like ready money. The toad cannot sing and never attempts to, which is greatly to his credit. He worries not at all about next winter's gas shortage, but retires in the fall into the bosom of a sand bank and there lies as dormant as a doormat while the wild winds blow and the driven shows drive. Indeed, you can bury him in the middle of a solid rock in the time of Pharaoh and crack him out on the Fourth of July, 1914, and find him in perfect order, physically and mentally. He is built on the architectural style of the average alderman, than whom there is nobody better qualified to take care of himself in emergencies; and he goes the politician one better, for while they both run largely to abdomen, the toad merely sits meditatively and rests his stomach on the ground whenever it becomes a wearisome burden, and the alderman can't. To the thoughtful the toad would seem to be more an object for envy than pity."—Kansas City Star.

## "Daisy" Well Named.

The Latin name of the daisy comes from a word meaning "pretty," and all will agree that it is well named. Our English word daisy is really "day's eye," and that is what it was called many hundred years ago.

Like the dandelion, each of its flowers is made up of a number of little ones, the tiny golden "disk flowers" in the center and the long white "ray flowers" around them. Daisies growing on the prairies of Kentucky to Texas have violet or purple rays.

To this same big family or "order" belong the asters, robin's plantain, goldenrod, dahlia, boneset and many other common but beautiful wild flowers which we all know so well.

If we look at the flowers in the yellow center of a daisy through a microscope we shall find that each is shaped like a little bell and has pointed teeth on its edge.

## He Should Worry.

At least one Detroit is possessed of a philosophical turn of mind that should send him through life content with his lot, remarks the Free Press of that city. Recently he had the misfortune to break an arm while cranking his automobile. A few days later a friend encountered him on the street and started to sympathize with him because of his trouble. The man with a broken arm sat up in his seat and eyed his friend closely.

"Why should I worry?" he inquired. "Your accident," said the astonished sympathizer.

"Say," confided the injured one, "I haven't any holler coming on that score. Do you know, just a few days before I broke my arm I took out an accident policy that pays me \$25 a week. I hire a chauffeur now for \$15. That leaves me \$10 every week with which to buy gasoline for the car. Not so bad, eh?"

## Such Is Life.

"A newspaper dispatch states that a married woman with a family was struck by a train and when she opened her eyes she thought she was a young girl again."

"I hope that dispatch won't be wide read."

"Why not?"

"It may be necessary to hire guards to keep married women off railroad tracks."

## FOR EXPERTS TO FIGURE ON

Little Problem as to "What Becomes of the Money" Seems a Bit Puzzling.

Here is a little problem in the popular course, "What Becomes of the Money?" A small bundle of linen is sent to the laundry. The bill is 30 cents. But in doing the work the laundry loses a house cap worth 50 cents. The laundry willingly adjusts matters and gives its patron 50 cents for the lost cap. The patron, in turn, gives 30 cents back to the laundry for the work done. In reckoning the result this was apparently the case. The owner of the linen—minus the missing cap—had 20 cents to show for the lost article. But the cap was worth 50 cents. Therefore the patron's loss would appear to be 30 cents. It apparently was no better with the laundry. The laundry received 30 cents justly due it for work. But it felt impelled to make good the loss of the cap to the customer, which meant the taking of 50 cents from the laundry's profits. Now, if the laundry thus lost 50 cents and the customer lost 30 cents, who got that money? Perhaps some expert on the high cost of living can figure it out.

## MADE THE LONDONERS LAUGH

American Orator's Little Surprise a Good Deal of a "Hit" in British Capital.

An American orator sprang a pleasant little surprise at a dinner in London the other night. The trick is well known in his own country, but is something of a novelty here.

"Words do not come easily to me," he said, and the sympathy of his audience was aroused.

"I cannot do better," he continued, "than quote from an author familiar to us all." Then he proceeded:

A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z.

The quotation was delivered with due emphasis, and anyone at the end of the room might have imagined that he was saying something really weighty.

Then he started all over again, "A B C D," etc., his voice rising and falling. Here a touch of pathos, there a flash of rhetoric. Four or five times he went through the performance, the laughter growing as his hearers entered more and more into the humor of the thing.—Tit-Bits.

## RIGHT TO HIS UPHELD.

If you didn't like a "turn" in a London music hall show you have the right to "hiss it." A jury of free-born Englishmen have so decided at the Swansea assizes.

Alfred E. Pratt, employed by a London publishing firm, claimed that he was justified in showing disapproval of what his counsel described as the vulgar and silly doggerel of one of the songs.

The jury found for the plaintiff, and awarded him \$250 damages against Herbert Taylor, manager of the Cardiff Empire and Moss' Empires, Limited, jointly, as a result of his forcible ejection from the hall.

A witness stated that when the plaintiff got outside he looked as if he had come out of a boxing match.—New York Tribune.

## CHILDREN'S READING.

In limiting a child's reading to what we ourselves hold to be, or what somebody else holds to be, a wholesome literature, we ought to remember that in the matter of reading—whatever may be true of anything else in the wide world—a child, no more than a grown man, gets any benefit from that which he does not enjoy. Make him learn his lessons by all means, be they palatable or unpalatable; they are another pair of shoes. But when his task time is over, and he is loose for a glorious while among his books, then go warily, and remember that you are a parent and not a pedagogue. Ay, and not more than you need be of a censor.—Hubert Bland, in the London Sunday Chronicle.

## ENGLISH FAMILIES OF THREE.

Families of three are more numerous than any others in England, according to a Blue Book recently issued. Such families constitute 19 per cent. of the total number; those of four, 18 per cent.; of five, 14 per cent., and those of six, 10 per cent. In London the women living alone outnumber the lonely men to the extent of 58,594 to 37,132.

## OUT OF THE GLOOM.

## Many a Gloomy Countenance In

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## Poker an Italian Game.

Poker is probably a development of Il frusso, an Italian game of the fifteenth century. A similar game called Primiera was played in Italy in the sixteenth century, and then journeyed into Spain. In France this became ambiguo, and later appeared in England under the name of brag. Poker is distinctly an American game, and seems to have descended more directly from the game of brag than from any of the others.

## WRITING THAT LETTER HOME

Duty That Daughter Should Never Neglect, is the Assertion Made by Newspaper.

When a daughter leaves home one thing she should never neglect, one thing there is with which no duty or pleasure should interfere. It is the letter to mother. It is not enough that she send a postal card: "Very busy. Will write soon."

Mother's letter should be a budget of daily, even hourly, happenings. It should be as far as possible a reflection of every thought and action in the new surroundings.

Mother's box of letters! What a treasure house of love! How she guards it! How she dreams over it and cries over it!

It is hard for a mother to let her daughter leave the home nest, so critical a moment it is in the latter's life. The daughter should strive to make the wrench less cruel.

There are hours at home after she has gone that are happy or dismal according to whether she is faithful or careless in mother thought.

Never delay writing the letter home. It is the call supreme. Do all that you can to please your beloved and devoted mother. None will ever be so appreciative, so sympathetic, so forgiving, so understanding. No heart will ever beat more true.—Chicago Tribune.

## PROOF TO THE CONTRARY



"Mostly wimmen allus asks me if I'm looking for work—"

"Wot of it?"

"An' yet dey sez wimmen ain't got no sense of humor!"

## GENIUS AND HAIR.

Some inquiring creature has discovered that the way to tell genius is by the hair. True genius, declares this investigator, is marked by thick, curly, luxuriant hair, brown or black in color, which never shows any tendency to get gray before its time.

According to this classification, Samson and Absalom were the prize packages of intellect in ancient Israel, and Julius Caesar was little better than an idiot. The records do not seem to bear out this view, but when facts and fads contradict each other let facts perish.

## WEBSTER'S THANKSGIVING.

For all the happiness of life, which has been so far exceedingly happy, I desire to render the most devout thanks to Almighty God. I thank him for existence; for the pleasure and glory of rational being; for an immortal nature, and for all the gratifications, the joys and the means of improvement which has blessed my earthly life; for the time and the country in which I have lived; and for those objects of love and affection whose being has been entwined with my own.—Daniel Webster's Note-book.

## IN THE STONE AGE.

"Here are sign words, professor, on the wall of this cave."

"So I see."

"They tell, no doubt, a tale of great historical value."

"Not exactly. This is just the lease of the cave. Says the tenant must pay forty clam shells per month in advance and isn't allowed to keep dinosaurs, pterodactyls or saber-toothed tigers."

## IT'S CLAIM TO BEAUTY.

Ella—What a beautiful moon.

Stella—It doesn't look so to me.

Ella—You don't seem to realize that the man in it is the only one in sight.

## SO DIFFERENT.

Gerald—The elephant is a peculiar animal.

Geraldine—That's so; he hasn't

## PICKPOCKETS

Made Several Big Hauls In The  
Crowds About the Stations.

Following is a list of persons who lost by pockets being picked at the fair:

Geo. W. Barnes, Carl, .....	\$75
Mr. Cook, Allegree, .....	80
L. J. Stewart, Gracey, .....	65
Marion Smith, Gracey, .....	14
L. C. Cravens, city, .....	17
C. F. Jarrett, " .....	7
Monroe Bullard, " .....	7
Dr. T. W. Lakey, " .....	3
H. L. McPherson, " .....	3
Gus Moore, " .....	2
Total .....	\$254

## Marriage Licenses.

The matrimonial market was, like everything else, quite brisk during fair week. Friday and Saturday licenses were issued to the following parties:

Miss Lula Cooker and W. B. Lanier.

Mrs Lucy Williams and Hero Cash.

Mrs Hattie Lee Thacker and W. M. Day.

Miss Beatrice Walker and Hardin Boyd.

## In Henderson County.

Dr. Curry, who did such efficient work during the six weeks' health campaign in this county, said Saturday that he expected to spend this week in Henderson county. He will then return to Hopkinsville to arrange for the future.

## \$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, it is a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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## RIVER IS DRAINED

## Floodgate Removed From The Dam At Second Street.

## OPEN FOR THE WINTER.

## Stream Is Flushed And Repairs Will Be Made On The Banks.

## DR. ARMISTEAD

Died In Montgomery, Ala., Sunday, Aged 75.

A telegram was received here yesterday from Mr. R. W. Kellogg, of Chicago, announcing the death of her father, Dr. J. R. Armistead, the veteran druggist long a resident of this city, who died at Montgomery, Ala., Sunday, where he had lived for several years. Besides a widow and daughter, he is survived by six sons, Thos. D., Ben R., and P., Eugene, Stanley, Rev. Joseph Victor Armistead. Two of his sons live in Montgomery, one in Lexington, two in Knoxville and one in Cincinnati.

Dr. Armistead was a life-long member of the Christian church and was about 75 years of age.

## The October Strand Magazine.

The contributors to the October Strand include A. Conan Doyle, Moryl Roberts, Baroness Orczy, Lady Randolph Churchill, Lord Cheylesmore, General Neville Littleton, Richard Marsh, W. B. Maxwell, and many others of lesser note. Conan Doyle's contribution, a curious story entitled "How It Happened," amply proves that the noted author holds beliefs similar to those of Sir Oliver Lodge. Lady Randolph Churchill—perhaps the most noted American woman who ever married into the British peerage writes on the subject of "The Most Impressive Sight I Ever Saw," taking as her theme the first jubilee of Queen Victoria. T. H. Oliver discourses on "Marathon Golf" and describes a game in which the hole was thirty-five miles long. Prof. Ward contributes one of his admirable nature articles. The stories are numerous and excellent.

## Ancient Remedy.

Nicholas Culpepper, Gentleman Student in Physick and Astrology, writing in 1655, commends as an interesting and valuable remedy, "the skull of a man that had never been buried, beaten to a powder and given inwardly, the quantity of a dram at a time in Betony water." Its particular efficacy was to be expected in pale and falling sickness.

## Louisville Won.

The Hopkinsville High School football team lost to the Louisville High School by the overwhelming score of 81 to 0. The boys played against them out-weighed the locals about 20 pounds.

We are prepared to do all kinds of high grade job printing. The

## PLANS ARE APPROVED

And Work Is Ready to Begin  
On Apartment House.

The Paducah Sun says: Frank M. Fisher, president of the Hopkinsville Apartment House company, has received the plans and specifications for the handsome new, two-story apartment to be erected in Hopkinsville in the Latham block.

The plans, which were drawn by Architect Britton Davis, of Louisville, have been approved and bids for the construction of the apartment are now being received. The contract will be let in a few days and work on the apartment will begin immediately. The apartment will be one of the handsomest in this end of the state and will cost \$30,000.

## The October Wide World Magazine.

The Wide World for October still bears out the correctness of the saying which declares that "Truth is Stranger Than Fiction." This issue of what is really a very remarkable publication contains stories and articles dealing with a score of different countries and people. Amaura Talbot continues his article on Witchcraft in West Africa and Marguerite Ribby describes her exciting trip across the Congo. G. M. Dyatt writes of his experiences as an airman in Yucatan and Capt. James Barracuff tells of his "Seven-Thousand-Mile Race for a gold Mine."

There is an exciting description of "A Battle With a Stag," and an equally absorbing account of a big steamer which ran away. In his article on "Unknown Canada" James Oliver Curwood describes vast areas of Northern Canada absolutely unknown and untouched by white man where all sorts of geographical and other wonders are to be found. The magazine is profusely illustrated with striking and unusual photographs.

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## I. Bailey Dead.

Madisonville, Ky., Oct. 13.—Inkerman Bailey, Sr., aged about 54,

died at his home in this city Friday night at 11 o'clock of heart failure.

Mr. Bailey was one of the best known coal operators of Western Kentucky,

having been with the Reinecke Coal

Company, of this city, for many

years, and also other mining com-

panies in this county. He leaves a

wife, three sons and a daughter.

Fred Bailey, of Louisville; Inkerman

Bailey, of New York City; George

Bailey, of Chicago, and Miss Agnes

Bailey, of this city.

## Planters Protective Association

Report of sales by the Planters Protective Association of Kentucky and Tennessee (Inc.) for the week ending Saturday, Oct. 4, 1913, and for the season to date:

Sales Places This week This season

Clarksville, 311 Hhds. 15637 Hhds.

Springfield, 10 Hhds. 10812 Hhds.

Paducah, 345 Hhds. 6255 Hhds.

Hopkinsville, 95 Hhds. 178 Hhds.

Total 751 Hhds. 34412 Hhds.

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## Navy Wins.

Annapolis, Md., Oct. 13.—In a game marked by rough playing for will three men were banished and many penalties imposed. The Navy defeated Georgetown University here Saturday 23 to 0. The Georgetown forwards were outclassed.

## TALES OF HOFFMANN

From J. Offenbach's Celebrated Opera

Sung by MARY GARDEN at Manhattan Opera House, N. Y.

## BOYS LIKE TO OWN THINGS

Give Your Son Possessions That He May "Keep," and He Will Treasure Them.

The average boy believes firmly in the principle of the private ownership of personal property. He would rather be the sole possessor of a broken hand knife with no blades than a hand handled, four-bladed affair in partnership, asserts Thomas W. Lloyd in the Mother's Magazine.

In fact, the desire to own something to possess—property—is inherent in all mankind. And mothers should endeavor to foster this desire. It will not only increase the boy's happiness, but will teach him the value of acquisition, within proper limits. He should have his own playthings, his books, his own books, his own clothes, and a place of his own in which to keep them.

A boy who is permitted to do this will take better care of things than if owned in partnership, and he will learn eagerly to have a place for his things and to keep them in their place. And this is a valuable lesson. Do not make a younger boy wear his older brother's clothing which the latter has outgrown, if it can be avoided. Of course, in some families, where every cent counts, this cannot be helped. Every boy, and we speak from experience, hates to wear another's clothes. He wants his own.

Give him his own bureau drawer and at least a portion of a closet, and teach him habits of orderliness and care in the care of his possessions. Such habits are easily learned when young, and their value to the man of business is incalculable.

## ALWAYS HAD CHANGE COMING

Escaped Inmate of Ohio Asylum Only Had to Return to Secure His Two Dollars.

The escape of Harry Kendall Thaw from Matteawan recalled the sensational escape of McNicholas from the county jail several months ago to a reporter of the Cleveland Leader.

"There was no chop suey at Matteawan, was there?" the reporter asked. So far as could be learned there was none.

Solemnly motioning like, the waiter, to bring another portion, he explained the mystery of his chop suey remark.

"When McNicholas escaped from the county jail he was in the hospital ward. A few minutes before he made his get-away he asked me to get him two plates of chop suey. The obliging son of Manchu demanded a deposit of two dollars. McNicholas was rich, and I paid the deposit.

"When I reached the jail with the steaming dishes I found that McNicholas had flown. And there were two dishes of chop suey on my hands.

"Sheriff Smith waved me away. I tried to explain that there was money due McNicholas from the Chinaman. Nothing doing; he was too busy trying to apprehend McNicholas.

"I into chop suey and kept the two dollars. Some day when I run across McNicholas I'll buy two dishes of chop suey and pay him two dollars. Sn-h-m-day."

**Big Balloons to Have Wheels.** German manufacturers of dirigible airships are seeking a landing apparatus that will insure the safety of their delicate gas bags. Many of the most serious accidents to Count Zeppelin's craft in the past were due to faulty landings.

A car of considerable length requires the most dexterousness in effecting a landing, for an uneven surface is liable to warp the structure of the gigantic balloon, causing it to burst.

Landing cars are now being provided on which the huge gas bag rests when it is drawn to earth. They are equipped with wheels and axles in locomotion when the craft is being towed into its hangar. It is provided with a series of cushions along the side, and has grapping arms that catch and hold the envelope of the balloon.

**Importance of Trifles.** A proofreader, aware the importance of trifles, read from his notebook those absurd sentences of a single letter:

"The conflict was dreadful and the enemy was repulsed with great laughter."

"When the president's wife entered the humble sitting-room of the house she was politely offered a hair."

"A man was yesterday arrested on the charge of having eaten a cabman for demanding more than his fare."

"An employ in the service of the government was accused of having stolen a small ox from the mall. The stolen property was found in his vest pocket."

"The Russian soldier, Knackinofoskowsky, was found dead with a long word sticking in his throat."

**Is No Longer an Onion.** Edward D. Onion of 147 West One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, New York, got permission recently from Supreme Court Justice Guy to change his name to Barrett, because he can't stand Onion any longer.

The petitioner said he was born in Baltimore, and that the family name was Barrett until a man named Onion offered his ancestor a considerable sum of money if he would become an Onion. Onion says that because his ancestor sold his real name he has been subjected to "continual banter, jokes, criticism, and sarcasm," causing a serious handicap to his business and employment.

## BETTER WITHOUT THE STARCH

Lingerie Waists Need Careful Treatment in the Laundry If You Want Them to Last.

The average boy believes firmly in the principle of the private ownership of personal property. He would rather be the sole possessor of a broken hand knife with no blades than a hand handled, four-bladed affair in partnership, asserts Thomas W. Lloyd in the Mother's Magazine.

In fact, the desire to own something to possess—property—is inherent in all mankind. And mothers should endeavor to foster this desire. It will not only increase the boy's happiness, but will teach him the value of acquisition, within proper limits. He should have his own playthings, his books, his own books, his own clothes, and a place of his own in which to keep them.

A boy who is permitted to do this will take better care of things than if owned in partnership, and he will learn eagerly to have a place for his things and to keep them in their place. And this is a valuable lesson.

Do not make a younger boy wear his older brother's clothing which the latter has outgrown, if it can be avoided. Of course, in some families, where every cent counts, this cannot be helped. Every boy, and we speak from experience, hates to wear another's clothes. He wants his own.

Give him his own bureau drawer and at least a portion of a closet, and teach him habits of orderliness and care in the care of his possessions. Such habits are easily learned when young, and their value to the man of business is incalculable.

## WHEN HIS APPETITE FAILED

Realization of Payment to Be Made Left John Henry Without Desire for the Pheasant.

They were speaking of the wonderful days of courtship when he willingly makes a million sacrifices to appear like great wealth in the dear one's beautiful eyes. A merry chuckle on the part of Gov. Locke Craig of North Carolina, who was one of the dinner party. He said he was reminded of the case of John Henry.

John Henry, according to the governor, took the darling of his heart to a cafe where it is expensive to eat. The dear one had said she wasn't hungry, so the young lover thought he would escape with no greater blow than an ice cream ticket.

But, alas! Likewise woe! It was a pheasant that the dear one ordered, with fixings to match. All that John Henry could do was to watch her and suffer.

"Jackey, dear," she sweetly remarked, diving into the luscious bird, "you are not eating a bit of this pheasant. Won't you have some?"

"No, darling," responded John Henry. "I have had all that I want."

"All that you want, dear!" exclaimed the young woman, showing great surprise. "Why, you haven't had any!"

"Yes, I have, sweet," answered John Henry, with something akin to a soulful sigh. "The waiter just handed me the bill."

## POLISH JEW HELD IN HONOR

Warsaw Policeman Gets Remarkable Recognition From All Classes of the People.

An account of a jubilee celebration in honor of a Jewish policeman of Warsaw, Poland, is contained in the American Hebrew. The celebration was in honor of fifty years' service by Doroch Yablonsky, an ex-guardian.

In 1863 he was appointed constable in the Polish capital by the viceroy, Grand Duke Constantine, who took into consideration his brilliant conduct in the Crimean war, for which he was decorated with a medal. Yablonsky, who is now the only Jew on the Warsaw police force, performed the duties of a constable for 42 years, until eight years ago, when he was transferred to the clerical department.

He is now eighty-eight years old, and holds several decorations. The entire police force joined in the jubilee celebration, and Yablonsky was the object of hearty praise and congratulations. He received 100 rubles from the chief of police, a watch from his colleagues and a warm message from the regiment of guards in which he served at the siege of Sebastopol. In religion Yablonsky holds orthodox views, and he has a special permit to attend synagogue services on Saturday and festivals.

**Satisfied.** But that it would cost too much to print it, the landlady would probably include this story in her advertisement every time she needs boarders.

In answer to an advertisement that was published before the story happened, she received as "paying guests" a lady and gentleman and little girl who had come down in the world.

Their descent was comparatively recent, and the lady still mourned departed grandeur. She had hopes of getting some of it back, however, and to that end she instructed the little girl to pray, on the night of their arrival at the boarding house, that God would soon give them their pretty home again.

The child opened her eyes and looked around the comfortably furnished room.

"I don't see anything the matter with this," she said.

**Pitching Pals.** Mathewson and McGinnity were great chums throughout their years of association on the New York team. Sometimes, with one of them in the box and going badly, the other would start from the bench with:

"Get out of there, Matty! You're rotten! Let me show 'em something."

The following rejoinder:

"All right, Joe. Come on in. I hope 'hey knock you full of holes.' Then, tossing the ball to his pal, he would start for the clubhouse.

McGrath left the pitching problem largely to these wise old foxes. "With them working together so well, no wonder we win," was a favorite comment of his.—Popular Magazine.

**Stuffed Eggs.** For six hard-boiled eggs take one cup of finely chopped cooked meat, one tablespoon melted butter, one-quarter cup of sweet cream. Season to taste. Cut the eggs in halves, carefully take out yolks and mix to a smooth paste with the melted butter. Add the meat and seasoning, mix with the cream gradually, as it may not all be needed. Stuff the eggs with this mixture, press together and roll in egg and bread crumbs. Fry in hot fat.

**Spotless Linens.** To remove a spot that is liable to be made on a clean tablecloth, fold a towel smoothly under the spot and put a bowl under it beneath the soiled part of the cloth. Pour boiling water through, a little at a time, until the stain disappears. Soak up part of the water with another towel and lay the wet piece smooth on the under towel. Cover and dry with a hot iron.

**Fish Salad.** Left-over boiled or baked fish may be used in an appetizing salad. Pick apart the larger pieces, so that the fish will be flaky. Sprinkle over it a little onion juice and chopped parsley and toss with crisp lettuce leaves in French dressing. Mayonnaise dressing will be even better for those who like it.

**Jelly Coverings.** When using paraffin for covering jellies, possibly you have been troubled by seeing the preserve work up at the side of the glass. To prevent this be sure to tip the glass lightly all around while the paraffin is hot; then all air spaces will be filled in and the trouble avoided.—Ladies' Home Journal.

**Nails Were Meant to Last.** F. J. Haskins of North Adams, Mass., has a collection of hand-made nails that were taken from an old house. The nails are all made of steel and are practically as good as when first driven into the wood. They are crude in shape and size and many of them have heads on only one side of the shaft. The nails have been in the building for forty years.

## Pembroke R. F. D. No. 3.

A number from this vicinity attended the Todd county fair at Elkhorn last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wade spent Sunday as guests of her mother, Mrs. Jane Wilkins, near Trenton.

J. B. Johnson spent Tuesday in Hopkinsville.

Mrs. Collier, of Bowling Green, is the guest of Mrs. James Bell.

The child of Mrs. Frank Hampton, who was operated on for appendicitis recently, is not doing well at this writing.

Miss Kathleen Thompson spent the week-end as a guest of Mrs. John Burrus, near Elkhorn.

Mr. Clay Bennett, of Utica, is the guest at Mrs. M. E. Morton's.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bell attended the fair at Hopkinsville Tuesday.

Ed Wade spent Monday in Hopkinsville.

## Sent to Owensboro.

Clarence Morris, colored, was arrested at Elkhorn and brought here Saturday for bootlegging. When arraigned before U. S. Commissioner Clark he plead guilty and he was sent to Owensboro to remain in jail until Judge Evans opens court there.

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## Weather For the Week.

Washington, Oct. 12.—Bracing fall weather with generally fair skies is promised the greater part of the country for the coming week by the weather bureau. Precipitation will be generally light.

## Alaska Town Hit.

The same storm that devastated Nome, wiped Solomon, Alaska, off the map. It had 300 population and every building was destroyed.

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## Bethel Female College Notes.

Oct. 10.—Every one enjoyed Dr. C. M. Thompson's talk at Chapel Friday morning when he took for his subject—"Seeing Things". Dr. Thompson knows exactly what to say to the students that will helpful and inspiring. The girls are always delighted when he visits the school.

Among the visitors at the college this past week were the following: Wm. H. Holland, Paducah; L. E. Adams, Morganfield; J. D. Green, Nebona, Ohio; Mrs. E. C. Radford, Princeton; Miss Gertie Carnal, Mrs. C. C. Carter and Miss Helen Pendleton, Princeton; Mrs. James Leghew, Wheatcroft; and Miss Mary Belle Radford, Princeton.

Miss Cullen and Mrs. Leghew, her sister, spent Saturday visiting friends in Nashville.

A. H. Brownell, of Russellville, spent Sunday and Monday visiting his mother.

First year English H. & C. took "exams" Thursday of this week.

Professor Brownell and the foot-

ball team of Bethel College, Russellville, were given a banquet by Mr. Lee Cook, at The Tyler, Louisville, Saturday night. Mr. Cook is the well known consulting engineer.

Henry C. Gray, Jr., of Louisville, who has frequently visited at the college, returned a few weeks ago from a bicycle tour through England and has just entered Rose Polytechnic of Terre Haute, Indiana.

Many of the college girls were guests of the young ladies of the Baptist church Wednesday when the Y. W. A. held their rally.

## Another Collision.

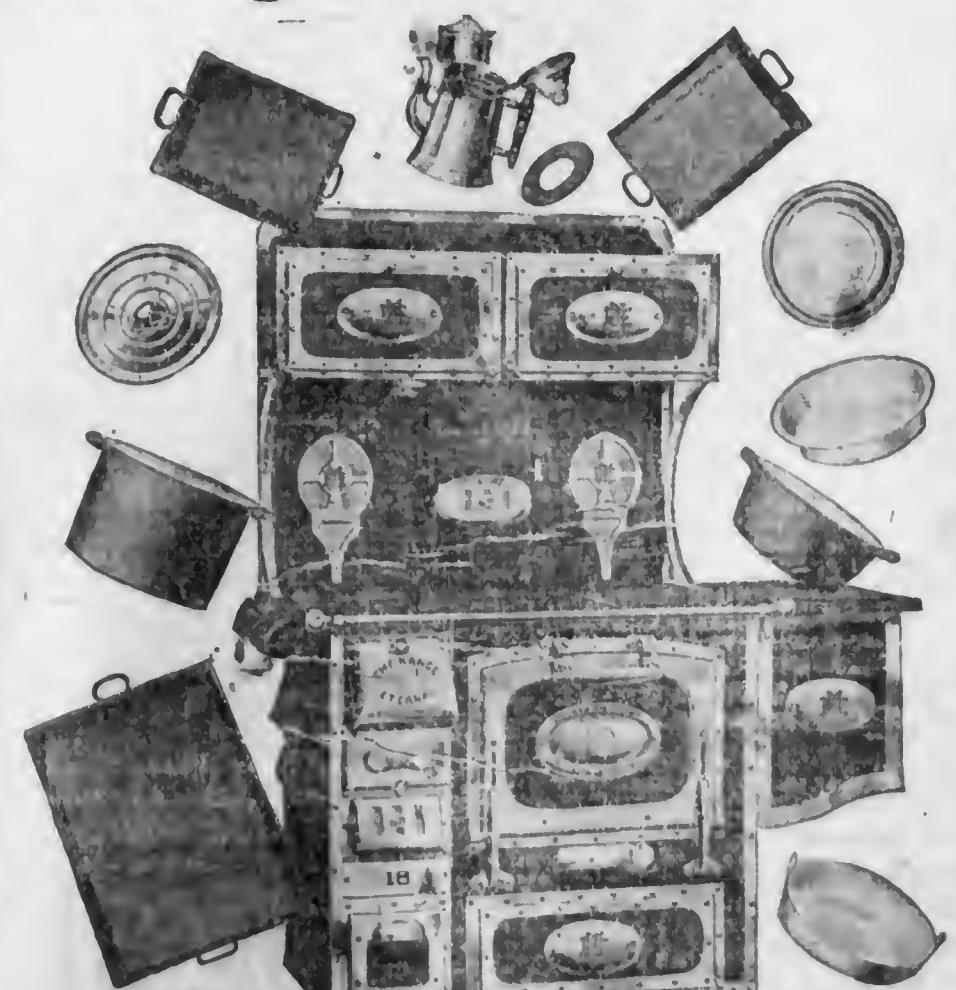
A head-on collision on the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad occurred at Westfield, Conn., Friday. Ralph A. Blydenburgh, a city editor of Middletown, was killed and 15 others injured.

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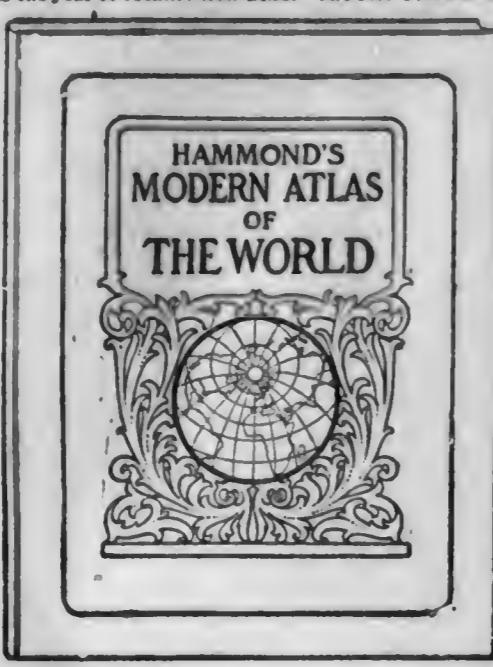
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## SHOWING WARREN THE POINT

Little Lad's Effective Lesson in the Necessity for Employing Punctuation Marks.

"Oh, dear!" sighed Warren, as he came in from school one day, "I wish we didn't have to learn so much about periods and commas and semicolons and such things. I hate them!"

Mamma laid down her sewing and said, "Why do you hate them, Warren?"

"Why, it's so hard to remember when to use them, and besides I don't think they are of much use. I don't see why we couldn't write sentences without putting in any punctuation marks."

Mamma smiled and then rising from her chair she went over to the desk and got out a piece of paper and a pencil. Then she wrote: "The little turkey strutted about the yard and ate corn half an hour after his head was cut off."

"Why, mummy, how funny!" exclaimed Warren when he had read it, "how could a turkey walk around eating corn without any head?"

"He couldn't," replied mamma, "and yet I have written just what I intended to write. I have, however, left out all punctuation marks."

Then she bent down and punctuated the sentence. It then read: "The little turkey strutted about the yard and ate corn; half an hour after, his head was cut off."

"Oh, I see," cried Warren, and then and there he resolved to learn all that he could about punctuation marks.—Woman's World.

## DOG TUGS AT BABY CARRIAGE

After it's Out of Water He Jumps Around Until Satisfied That it's Empty.

## OBJECT LESSON MISSED FIRE

Uncle's Idea of Teaching His Country Nephew Caution Proved Something of a Failure.

A youth from the country was paying his first visit to New York, and, accompanied by his uncle, a leading banker, went to the theater, says the Pathfinder. While waiting in the lobby before the performance the country boy flung back his coat and with hands in his pockets displayed a heavy gold watch-chain. The uncle observed the act and resolved to teach him a lesson.

While the young man's attention was diverted the uncle slipped the watch and chain from his vest, and they entered the theater.

"What time is it?" he asked when they were seated.

The boy felt for his time-piece and found it was gone. Allowing him to make a thorough search of it, the uncle told him he had taken it and read him a sharp lecture. "You are not in the country now, you know, where you can display valuables with impunity. You should be more careful. Let this be a lesson to you."

So saying he slipped his hand into his overcoat pocket where he had put the watch. To his utter dismay he found it was gone. And when he looked to see if his own was safe he found that also had taken wings.

Modern Surgery.

Dr. A. L. Sorensen of New York, who is in London for the medical congress, gave details of a new marvel in surgery he is studying: nothing less than the grafting of new limbs to replace those lost. The victim of an amputation may have the leg of a dead man or woman fixed upon him by surgeons, who will join the nerves and veins, linking the dead limb to the body and begin a new life with its new owner.

Doctor Sorensen has been long experimenting on animals. "I took the leg from a dead white dog," he said, "and grafted it on a yellow dog, whose leg had been removed. The yellow dog, with one white leg, now trots about thoroughly well. I have now three patients awaiting my return, to whom I hope to give new limbs taken from the bodies of persons accidental killed."

Little Lard Used in Austria.

On account of its high price very little lard is consumed in cooking in Austria, but a preparation commonly called "spelselgef," or cooking fat, is used. It is sold under the name of "Ceres," and it is said that its principal ingredient is palm oil. This substance is prepared in the towns of Bodenbach and Aussig, in the Reichenberg district, and sells for \$13.40 per 100 pounds in large quantities or 14 1/2 cents per pound in small quantities in Carlsbad. It is put up in cakes weighing one-half kilo (1.1 pounds) and is sold without container.

In appearance it is much like cotton.

Old Indian Fire-Producer.

Nanaimo, the Coal City of Vancouver Island, has just secured some interesting Indian relics, presented to the Native Sons' post of that city by W. Chappell of Gahrila Island. Among the specimens is an admirable example of a stone axhead and what, for want of a better term, may be called a "bindler." This is a flat, circular rock with a hole in the center. There is also an oblong, lemon-shaped stone which fits in this hole. The native used to create a spark by revolving the small stone in the hole.

Footlight—Do you consider Hamm travels on the square?

Miss Su Brette—No; he's traveling on one of the circuits now.

A LAMB.

"Why are you so sore on that eminent millionaire? He has done some good things."

"I was one of them."

Discerning Thought.

Thoughts put on paper are nothing more than footprints in the sand; you see the way the man has gone, but you know what he saw on his walk you want his eyes.—Schopenhauer.

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### Saturday's Races.

Free-for-all trot, J. E. Gregory's "Helen J." 2:15 Pace, J. W. Anderson's "W. S. Webb." Running race, J. J. Davis' "Blacksmith."

### MORNING RINGS.

Ring No. 1. American Saddle Horses. Stallion in service.

First, J. W. Riley.

Ring No. 2. American Saddle Horses. Brood Mare.

First, B. P. Eubanks.

Ring No. 3. Five-gaited Saddle Horses. Mare under one year old.

First, J. W. Riley.

Ring No. 7. Special by C. R. Clark. Mare over one year old and under two.

First, P. W. Ray and Son.

Second, S. A. Reeves.

Ring No. 5. Five-Gaited Horses. Mare two years old and under three.

First, Alexander Bros.

Second, C. C. Brewer.

Ring No. 6. Roadsters, Stallions, four years old and over.

First, J. S. Ray.

Second, Alexander Bros.

Ring No. 7. Special by C. R. Clark & Co., handsomest turnout, horses, equipment and occupants to count, \$5.00 Cut Glass Vase.

First, C. C. Brewer.

Only a band concert was given Saturday night, admission being free to the grounds.

### NO DOUBT ABOUT HIS CLASS

According to Kansas City Paper, Harry Kemp Had No Difficulty Proving He Was a Tramp Poet.

A New York letter the other week mentioned that lots of folks thought at the time that Harry Kemp was being three-sheeted through this land as "the tramp poet" that he was just a poet. But they were wrong. Mr. Kemp is a hobo of purest ray serene.

It is a pleasure to certificate him.

"I live," said Mr. Kemp to an editor the other day, "in a shack on the Pall-mades. I come into town today to sell a poem. This is Friday, and I do not want to go back to the shack before Monday afternoon."

The editor took the poem and read it very carefully and then looked at Kemp's clothes—which were comparatively whole in several places—and then showed that he had a good business mind.

"I'll give you," said the editor, "\$3 for this poem."

The editor thought that Kemp would ask for more and that he could do a bit of pleasant bargaining. But he was disappointed.

"I'll take it," said the tramp poet. "Three dollars is all I'll need for three days in New York."—Kansas City Star.

### MANY ARRESTS.

### Chief Roper and His Men Were Busy Fair Week.

With attendance running from 8,000 to 15,000 during the five days of the fair only 75 or 80 arrests were made for the week. It is gratifying to report that all of the arrests were for minor offenses. Saturday the line-up in the police court was 23. Monday morning there were 16 before Judge Wood. Some paid their fines and others are working there fines out in the streets.

### Key Touched by Wilson.

Washington, Oct. 13.—The momentary touch of a key by the President of the United States Friday sent a flash of electricity through a continuous telegraph and cable connection of 4,000 miles, setting off a gigantic blast of dynamite which exploded the Gamboa dike, the last of the great physical barriers to water communication in the Panama canal. It was an extraordinary feat of telegraphy, especially planned for the occasion. At precisely 2 o'clock Friday afternoon President Wilson, simply closing a telegraph key at the White House, sent the current over land and under sea, and just a few seconds later came the message informing him that the explosion had been successful.

### Columbus Day.

Yesterday was the new national holiday, "Columbus Day," and the banks were closed. The next holiday will be Thanksgiving Day.

### Daily Thought.

The great thing in the world is not so much to seek happiness as to earn it and self-respect.—Fluxley.

That Men Are Just as Much as the Women.

Those Who Are Tired of the Dog Days May Find a Little Consolation Here.

"It certainly does make me weary all these innuendoes in the funny papers about the women. One would think by some of the supposedly facetious jokes that we girls didn't have enough intelligence to keep out of the home for the feeble minded," remarked Hilda Nutt to her sister, Ima, as she pointed to an illustration in the evening paper.

"Now here, for instance, is a rehashed story about a bridegroom carrying a basket, approaching a narrow creek. He turns to his simple minded bride—I judge she must have been simple or she never would have married him—and he offers to carry her across the stream. This egotistical male jokesmith has the bride make the inane reply: 'But you can't carry both me and the lunch basket. We would be too heavy. You carry me and I will carry the lunch basket.'

"As a matter of fact that foolish chestnut was first recorded about an old man with a basket of eggs and a commendably bumptious heart, who, as he boarded the street car, observed that the arched necks and cruelly docked tails of the two decrepit horses in front, bespoke a sadly contrasting prosperity in their remote youth. The old man's tender heart was touched at the pitiful sight, and as he took his seat in the car, he gently lifted the basket of eggs out the window and held them there all the way of his journey to make the burden lighter for the poor horses. So you see, Ima," she added with an emphatic nod of her head, "the men are every bit as foolish as the women, if not more so."

### SETTLED THE JUDGE'S DOUBTS

Naive Statement of Convicted Murderer Removed All Question as to His Guilt.

When Judge Stewart of Vermont presided at the trial of a negro charged with murder of another of his race he admitted afterward to friends that he had serious doubts of the prisoner's guilt until he began to pronounce sentence.

The negro had pleaded not guilty and repeatedly, on being questioned, had asserted with much emphasis, "I didn't do it!" The evidence was not convincing, and the Judge was surprised when the jury brought in a verdict of guilty. His doubts vanished when, after reminding the negro that he had been tried by a jury of 12 men, etc., he said: "It is my duty to warn you that your days on earth are numbered, and it behoves you to avail yourself of the little remnant of time allotted to you to make peace with God."

Just there the negro broke in with the exclamation, "Ah done dat already, jedge, hefo! Ah went out ter kill dat niggah!"

### Many Old People in Berlin.

According to statistics just published Berlin appears to be an extraordinarily healthful place for the aged, who live there in remarkably large numbers. A feature of the figures is the much greater number of old women in proportion to old men, and with every decade above seventy the proportion increases astonishingly. In Berlin the number of men between seventy and eighty is 12,898, while the number of women is 25,204. For Greater Berlin the figures are 20,049 and 37,520 respectively. Of persons between eighty and ninety women are in an enormous majority. For Berlin the figures are 2,036 men and 5,371 women and for Greater Berlin 3,169 men and 7,810 women. Berlin has a large number of nonagenarians, and of these three out of every four are women. In Greater Berlin there are 364 women who have passed their ninetieth birthday, but only 111 men.

### Moving Picture Animals.

A jungle of several acres, inhabited by wild animals of all countries, many of which are already well trained for the parts they are to play as motion picture actors, is maintained near Los Angeles by one of the big American film-producing companies. It is intended to extend the acreage and accommodations until the motion picture jungle will form the largest single collection of wild animals in the world, and within it will be, and now are, enacted many stirring scenes. A big elephant named "Toddlies" is, for instance, the star performer in a film catalogued as "Lost in the Jungle," in which Toddlies, during his wanderings in the forest, finds the heroine lying exhausted on the ground, and, kneeling, lifts her to his back and gallantly carries her to safety. All the animals are as conscientiously trained to do acts for the motion picture camera as the trained animals of a circus.

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### Unpretentious Royal Abode.

King Charles of Roumania has seen many changes, largely effected by himself, in his Balkan kingdom since he arrived there in 1866 after an adventurous journey in disguise from Germany. Notable among them are the changes in his capital and in his own palace. When he made his triumphal entry as the country's new prince the carriage reached a house before which a guard of honor was stationed. "What house is that?" he asked. "That is the palace," replied General Golestaki. The prince, thinking he had misunderstood him, said: "Where is the palace?" And the general was so embarrassed that he could only point silently to the one-storyed building. The principal feature of the view from the windows on one side was a gypsy encampment, with swine wallowing in the main road before the palace.

For those of us who are forced to spend most of our summers in cities there are a few consoling thoughts, remarks a writer in the Atlantic Monthly. One is that the severest heat does not prompt men to crime, as the social statisticians have found that the severest cold does. Another is that the worst temperature we are called upon to face falls a long way short of the endurance limit of the human body and brain, as proved by French experiments at the 250 degree level. Another comes from the discovery through the newspapers, with every prolonged hot wave, that we are "breaking the record" in some line or other. This ought to be a stimulus to our pride, and if we wish to carry further the benevolent influence of mental suggestion, all we need to do is to compare what is happening to us with what has happened to various other people at various other times.

For instance, when the encyclopedias tell us that in A. D. 627 the heat in France and Germany dried the water sources and a multitude of people died of thirst; that in the battle of Bela, in 1260, more soldiers were killed by the sun than by the weapons of the foe; that in 1303 three great rivers of western Europe went dry, and that in Odessa, in 1889, the noon temperature reached 144 degrees and a sunshade was necessary at five in the morning, we are bound to conclude that we are not so badly off, after all.

### PRESENT LIMIT OF WIRELESS

Depends Largely on Existing Weather Conditions, but Possibilities Are Apparently Unknown.

According to Prof. J. A. Fleming, several of the most powerful wireless stations are now generating ether waves having a length from crest to crest of about four miles, and these disturbances can be "detected" at distances up to 6,000 miles from their source—that is, four such stations would suffice to "girdle" the earth. Obviously, however, the ability to "detect" the signals over this vast distance, presumably under favorable weather conditions, is a very different thing from the power to maintain commercial communication along the route. As yet the wireless service available to the public covers but a third, or at most half, this distance.

There is as yet no means of determining the practical limit of wireless communication. Improvements in apparatus, perhaps even some new discovery as to methods of stirring up the ether, may revolutionize the art and upset all present standards. But at present even the most successful systems get into serious difficulties when called upon to maintain constant communication over a line 2,000 miles in length. A recent British wireless commission was able to secure but one demonstration on a line 1,000 miles long, although several companies declared their ability much to exceed this distance in a commercial installation.—New York Evening Post.

### War Declared on Materialism.

To combat the materialism of the present age in earnest a society has just been founded by Edmond Rostand, Maeterlinck and Camille Flammarion and is receiving the enthusiastic support of the thinking public.

A large number of members have already enrolled themselves among the committeemen being some of the leading figures in French thought. The founders are calling upon all who are willing to fight for the higher ideals of art, literature and science in the face of the decadence now threatening French taste to join their ranks. Several branches, it is announced, are being formed in the provinces and abroad.

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### Remarkable Alpine Road.

The water gallery of the Simplon road, says Professor McKibben in Good Roads, is one of the interesting features of that international highway built by Napoleon I. It is an arched structure over the roadway, constructed so that a stream passes over the roadway instead of underneath, while openings in the masonry give ventilation to the gallery. Though the railway tunnel now carries most of the through traffic, more than ten thousand persons annually cross the Alps by this road.

### Lights of London.

London will be one of the best lighted cities in the world when the installation of a new system of centrally suspended lamps using high pressure gas with inverted burners has been completed. Although the amount of illumination will be increased by 6,000 candle power, it is estimated that a saving of about \$3,000 a year will be made over the old system.

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### Purely Personal.

Thos. S. Winfree, returned to Owensboro Saturday.

Mrs. C. A. Stoker returned Sunday to her home in Mayfield, after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Torian.

Mrs. Nannie Trice will leave tomorrow for an extended visit to relatives in Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Kennedy, Miss Juliet Kennedy and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Shaw, of Paducah, came up to attend the funeral of Mrs. Samuel P. Elgin Sunday.

Mrs. John P. Bell has taken rooms with Mrs. J. O. Ferrell and will move from Mrs. Lou R. West's home on East Sixteenth Street tomorrow.

### Sale Of Stock And Machinery.

Having sold my farm I will have a sale of live stock and machinery on said farm, near Howell, Ky., on Thursday, Oct. 16. Terms made known on day of sale.

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Cash-Williams.

Hero Cash and Mrs. Lucy Williams were married here Saturday morning by Judge Knight.

### Lanier-Cooper.

W. P. Lanier and Mrs. Lula Cooper were married last Friday night by Rev. J. B. Eshman.

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